REMARKS

Favorable reconsideration is respectfully requested. Claims 8 and 9 are now

before the Examiner. Claim 8 has been written into independent form, and claim 9

depends from claim 8.

Original claims 8 and 9 were rejected as indefinite under 35 U.S.C. § 112.

However, the Examiner indicated that claims 8 and 9 would be allowable if rewritten to

overcome that rejection. Hence, as indicated on the amended claim 8, claim 1 from

which claim 8 depended, has been amended to avoid the indefiniteness rejection and is

now believed to be in allowable condition.

The remaining claims have been cancelled so that applicant submits that the

application is now in condition for passage to issue. Applicant submits that the revisions

made to claims 8 and 9 are sufficient. However, applicant's counsel respectfully

requests the Examiner to call him in the event that it appears that additional word

changes would be helpful to clarify the indefiniteness cited by the Examiner.

Respectfully submitted,

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